

New York State Acute Hepatitis Surveillance Summary

Cases Reported January 1, 2005 through December 31, 2005¹

Acute Hepatitis B

Number of confirmed cases ²	101
NYS rate per 100,000 population	0.92
U.S. rate per 100,000 population ³	2.61

Age (years)	N	%
≤ 1	0	0.0
2-5	0	0.0
6-10	0	0.0
11-20	2	2.0
21-30	17	16.8
31-40	29	28.7
41-50	31	30.7
50+	22	21.8

Mean Age: 42.0 years

Gender	N	%
Male	69	68.3
Female	32	31.7

Race	N	%
White	67	66.3
Black	25	24.8
Alaskan Native/Amer Ind	0	0.0
Asian/Pac Islander	2	2.0
Other	1	1.0
Unknown	6	5.9

Ethnicity	N	%
Non-Hispanic	78	77.2
Hispanic	8	7.9
Unknown	15	14.9

Reported Cases by County⁴

Albany	5	Dutchess	1	Oneida	2	Schoharie	1
Broome	5	Erie	15	Onondaga	8	Seneca	1
Chautauqua	2	Essex	1	Orange	1	Steuben	1
Chemung	3	Greene	1	Otsego	2	Suffolk	9
Chenango	4	Monroe	9	Rensselaer	1	Tompkins	1
Clinton	1	Nassau	17	Rockland	1	Westchester	5
Delaware	1	Niagara	2	Saratoga	1		

FOOTNOTES:

- ¹ Represents cases reported to the NYSDOH by local health departments during 2005, excluding New York City.
- ² Case Definition: 1) A discrete onset of symptoms and jaundice or elevated liver enzymes; and, 2) IgM anti-HBc or HBsAg positive test result. Confirmed case classification: Meets both the clinical and laboratory criteria.
- ³ Source: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention National Notifiable Disease Surveillance System, 2003.
- ⁴ Includes only counties that reported at least one case of acute hepatitis B in 2005.

Note: Percentages may not equal 100 due to rounding



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